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It seems clear to me that many people will be hurt no matter what is done.

It is my belief that at this time we should cut all budgets to what ever level is necessary to balance budget. This includes re-negotiating all contracts, including union contracts, for all state and local entities.

This is no time for more taxes of any kind, if we want to work our way out of this.

Every group that is in some form of need wants government help and all of a sudden, after they get some help, they feel it is their RIGHT to have this monetary help in funds or services and never be taken away. Well, when we can afford to help we will and do--that is the American way---**but now we can not and they must be cut off.**

It is too bad but that is really the most fundamentally fair thing to do.

More taxes will just make it harder and take longer to ever get out of this mess, if we ever do.

Businesses are leaving and many more are seriously looking to do so. I make \$50-60,000 per year and the RICH already pay an exceedingly high amount of taxes.

Cut , cuts, cuts until it balances. NO more taxes. You are taxing us to death, litter ally and figuratively.

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